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## PATENT

Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 1581-7

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Wei Dai et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1764  
)  
Application No.: 09/965,868 ) Examiner: Walter Dean Griffin  
)  
Filed: October 1, 2001 )  
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For: Selective Hydrogenation Catalyst ) Confirmation No.: 4024  
for Selectively Hydrogenating of )  
Unsaturated Olefin, etc. )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of January 14, 2004. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for a one month(s) extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$110 for the Extension is enclosed.

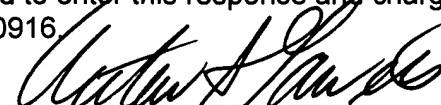
The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	19	-	24	--	x \$ 18	\$
Indep.	1	-	3	--	x \$ 86	
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05/11/2004 ST EUMEL1 00000089 09965868					Subtotal	\$
01 FC:1251 110.00 0P Reduction by ½ if small entity					-	
					TOTAL	\$

- A fee of \$110 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.  
 A fee of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.  
 A check for \$110 to cover the above fee(s) is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: May 10, 2004

By:   
Arthur S. Garrett  
Reg. No. 20,338

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**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004, **the period for response having been extended to May 14, 2004 by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** are included in this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.

**Attachments** to this amendment include a **Replacement Abstract**.